



# *Superior Court of California*

COUNTY OF VENTURA  
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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **COURT SEEKING GRAND JURY NOMINATIONS**

Court Executive Officer, Michael D. Planet, announced today that the Ventura Superior Court is actively seeking nominations for the 2002-2003 Grand Jury.

To be considered for nomination to the Grand Jury, you must be a citizen of the United States, be 18 years of age or older, be in possession of your natural faculties, of ordinary intelligence, of sound judgement and of good character, have been a resident of Ventura County for at least one year, and have never been convicted of a felony or malfeasance in office.

Some of the principal functions of the Grand Jury include investigating the various departments, special districts of the county and city government, involvement in fiscal or management audits, and preparation of reports on related matters. The Grand Jury may be expected to hear indictment proceedings for the District Attorney's office.

Service on the Grand Jury is for a period of one year, commencing July 1 through June 30, and usually involves 32 to 40 hours per week.

Citizens interested in obtaining more information or an application should contact Jury Services at (805) 654-5025 during regular business hours, or visit the Grand Jury website at [www.grandjury.countyofventura.org](http://www.grandjury.countyofventura.org). The deadline for submitting an application is Friday, April 19, 2002.